FIRST BLOOD FOR GEORGE E. FISHER

Judge Mullen Decides That Alleged Fraudulent Bonds Are Valid.

MATTRESS FACTORY BURNED

Gate Keeper Struck by a Coast Line Train and Painfully Hurt.

TSpecial to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETEREBUIRG, VA. Feb. 7.-Fisher wen
first blood in the fight with the Goulds today. The result came in a verbal decision
by Judge J. M. Mullen in the Hustings Court first blood in the fight with the Goulas today." The result came, in a verbal decision
by Judge J. M. Mulien in the Hustings Court
to-day in the suit of George E. Fisher, Philip
Rogers, Charles Itali Davis, and others against
the Virginia Passenger and Power Company,
in which the plaintiffs, as bondholders of the
former Southside Railway and Development.
Company, claimed that some printed bonds,
issued by that company just before it became
a part of the present Virginia Passenger and
Power Company, should be exchanged for regular coupon bonds.

After the institution of this suit, several
Baltimora holders of coupon bonds of the
Southside Railway and Davelopment Company
filed a cross bill in the suit, alleging that
the printed bonds were fraudulently sold, and
were invalid. Judge Mulleu's decision dismisses this bill, and holds that the printed
bonds are valid obligations of the Virginia
Passenger and Power Company as successor
of the Southside Railway and Davelopment
Company.

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There were three hundred and sixty of the bonds in the original issue involved in this case, the vast majority of which were owned by Mr. Fisher.

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C. C. Luchemberg's mattress factory was destroyed by hundred dollars insurance covers in the control of the covers of the covers

KENMORE SOLD.

River Mail Goes Overland to Its

BURGLARS ROUNDED UP.

Identified in Baltimore as Men Who Robbed Manassas Bank.

pecial to The Times-Dispatch.
ASSAS. VA., Feb. 7.—William
Allas California Bill; Robert Calias Robert Cassidy, alias Big Calimes A. Galleber, Edward Filzpatames King, alias James Brenner,
ank Burcus have been indicted by
id jury in the Circuit Court of
William county for attempting to
National Bank of Manassas on the
f November 11, 1904. timony of persons who well to hank rob-and saw the gang of alleged bank rob-bers in custody there, and recognized those named above as persons seen in the yieldity of Manassas on the day be-fore the bank robbery occurred. Casey is being held by the Pennsylvania authorities, while the others of the gang are locked up in Maryland.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Mr. Ambrose Ford Drags Himself With Broken Leg to Succor.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CARTEBRYILLE, VA., Feb, 7.—While Mr.
Ambrose Ford was returning home from a
ride after some of his stock hast night, his
horse fell and caught Mr. Ford's leg under
him, breaking two of the bones just above the
ankle. The accident happened near Dr. Snead's
home. Mr. Ford dragged himself in calling
distance of the house. Some colored men
hoard him and took him in the house. Mr.
Ford suffered hitensely until the dector came
Then he was taken to his own home, where
Dr. Snead set the broken benes.
Mr. Ford had a bad night, but is resting
more comfortably to-day.

Despite the bad vesdes, the farmers are
bringing in their tobacco to market.

Flinch Party. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
KDYSWILLE, VA., Feb. 7.—A very engowable linch party was given at the home
of Mrs. H. D. Peters Monday night by



Here's a Bumper, Let it be a thumper, Night, morning or noon, December or June-Any old time-

Old Barbee Whiskey Bottled in Bond

The golden grain of Old Kentucky turned into youth, good cheer and gladness. Age and purity guaranteed by the U.S. Government.

Ask for Old Barbee.

You'll know you're getting it, if government stamp is over cork. Jno. T. Barbee & Co., Louisville, Ky.

the young men of the town. After the game an elegant supper was served. Those present were Messes. Dixon. L. Legrande, A. B. Hanner, Herbert Philips, D. S. Gaulding, Nichols, W. E. Newcomb and Hober J. Morton; Misses Ottle Craddock, Naunic Oliver, Gertrude Oliver, Marlon Berkley, of Virginia Home School; Miss Cora McMurray, of Pittsburg, Pa.; Miss Bradford, of Durham, N. C., and Misses Rudd and Landrum, Mrs. L. Reters, W. E. Harley and Miss E. K. Spencer were chaperones. Mr. S. B. Ward is out again, after being confined two months by a serious accident.

SONS OF VETERANS.

Commander Arthur H. Jennings Announces His Staff.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY THE BEST MADE.

reasons why it should be preferred to any other. The fact is that few people are satisfied with any other after having once used this remedy. For sale by all druggists.

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WINTER TOURIST HATES THE ATLANTIC COAST LINE.
Winter tourist tickets are now on sale
to all Southern winter resorts via the
Atlantic Coast Line. This line is the
shortest, quickest and most elegantly

Adlantic Constitution in the shortest, quickest and most elegantly equipped between the North and South. It offers to health and pleasure seekers service equalled by none. You make no changes to Florida resorts.

For full particulars apply to any agent of the company, or.

C. S. CAMPBELL.

Division Passenger Agent, Richmond, Va.

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A Hundred to One

On which side will you be? Success depends largely on ability to save money. The Savings Bank offers the opportunity—it is the successful man's friend—

your friend. This Savings Institution makes specialty of "Banking by Mail," making banking easy and convenient

Your name on a postal card will bring full information.

PLANTERS NATIONAL BANK, SAVINGS DEPARTMENT,

TO GRAND JURY

Charged With Murder of Boy Who Was Run Over by His Car.

VOODOO DOCTOR TO BE TRIED

James Kinnier, Charged With Non-Support of Family, Surrendered by Bondsman.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., Feb. 7.—Captain Willlam B. Gray obtained a divorce to-day illam B. Gray obtained a divorce to-day from his wife, Almee C. Gray, who was Aumee C. Devaugher, of Baltimore. They were married here at the Union Mission, in October 1925, and she eloped with Col-ley Edwards, of Ballimore, three years ago. The father is allowed custody of the child, Malcolm, and the wife is denied all share in the property by dowry

the child, Malcolm, and the wife is denied all share in the property by dowry or otherwise.

On appeal to the Corporation Court today, M. E. Strousé, was sentenced to juli for six months and to pay a fine of \$25 for passing worthless checks, He drew checks on the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Cambridge, Maryland, which were returned unpidd. Strouse is a stranger here and has no friends, hence he went to juli without bail. After the vericity was rendered the manager of the Glidstone Hotel swore out five more warrants against Stouse, alleging the receipt of bad checks. The amounts range from \$7\$ to \$20. These cases will come up in the Police Court to-morrow.

FOR NON-SUPPORT.

James Kinnear, whom Judge Hanckel decided must pay his wife \$5 per week to avoid a twelve-months juli sentence for desertion and fullure to provide, has been surrendered by his bondsman, Alex Kinnear, a brother. The defendant is now in full to remain until he can find a bondsman as surely for his payment. William Armstrong, colored, was accused by the coroner's jury in Portsmouth to-day of the murder of Jim George, colored, in Oxley's saloon list Sunday. Witnesses testified that the negroes quarreled about a woman in the saloon and that Armstrong fred two shots from a pistol at George made no effort to defend himself.

YOO-DOO DOCTOR.

Haywood Lanier, the negro voodoo doctor, who two months ago murdered his lo-year old son by cremating the boy in a burping house, will go before a jury in the Circuit Court of Norfolk county, to-morrow, to be tried as to his sanity. If the jury decides that the prisoner is sane he will be tried later on a charge of nytrder.

Motorman E. P. Hatfield, of the Berkely Street Railway, was arraigned before

sane he will be tried later on a charge of nyrder.
Motorman E. P. Hatfield, of the Berkely Street Railway, was arraigned before Mayor Allen, of Berkeley, this morning, on the charge of murder in the case of the killing of 4-year old Harry Echelbaum, run over by the car on last Friday. The trial consumed a greater part of the morning and was concluded by the defendant being sent on to the grand jury for trial without bail.

HALIFAX COURT.

A Large Number of Criminal Cases Tried and Sentenced.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HOUSTON, VA., Feb. 7.—The Circuit
Court of Halifax county, Judge William
R. Barksdale, adjourned to-day. As the
court room was not completed in time for
the November term, no court was held
then, and consequently the number of
criminals to be tried at this term was
unusually large. Thirteen cases of feiony and three misdemeanors were tried.
Not a case was continued, and there was
not a single mistrial. Some eight or ten
persons were sent to the penitentiary for
terms varying from one to four years,
and one was sent to the Colored Reformatory for three years.

Mr. Bouldin, the new commonwealth's
attorney has made an envieble record,
and Halifax may well be proud of such
attorneys for the Commonwealth as John
W. Reily, William Leigh and Wood Bouldin,
Very little civil business of any gener-

Very little civil business of any general interest was disposed of. There are indications that the political not will soon reach the boiling point in Halifax. For governor, Swanson is easily the favorite, but Captain Willard and Judge Mann both have warm friends. Mr. James Alston Cabell, the popular ex-Delegate from Richmond, has many friends and relatives in the county, and he will doubtless poil a large vote for lieutenant governor. At present the only avowed candidates for the Legislature are R. R. Noblin for the Senate, and Marshall B. Booker and H. O. Kerns for the House of Delegates, but there may be others.

ACCOMAC SCHOOLS.

Lead the State for Efficiency The Moore Farm Sold.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

(NANCOCK, VA., Feb. 7.—The schools of Accomac county superintendent, G. G. Joynes, have taken precedence over all in Virgina. The gradins, teachers, general equipment of Accomac's schools surpasses in excellence all others in the Commonwealth. There were sixty-one schools' opened for the white children last month and twenty-six for the colored. The total enrolment of whites was 3,711, and of colored children 1,443. The number of white teachers was 119, with an average of thirty-two scholars per teacher. The average of the thirty-nine colored teachers was surger, it being nearly fifty.

Mr. Joynes has personal supervision over all the schools can soon find out any discrepancy, and is even quicker to adjust the wrong. There is, of course, toom for improvement, but all things being in consideration, the educational progress of the children of Accomac is remarkable.

Mr. L. Floyd Nock, an attorney of Accomac Courthouse, has purchased from the legal representatives of Mrs. Rudolph C. King, of Washington, D. C., the valuable race of land in the southern part of Accounce, and known as the Moore farm, for \$1,500.

able truck of the Moore farm, for \$17,500.
Keen and netive interest is manifested on the Shore in the coming subcrutorial contest. All the candidates have hosts of warm supporters, but, judging from the number of campaign buttons, Mr. Swanson has the lead now.

A FINE GREY EAGLE.

Trapped While Preying Upon Lambs.

Lambs.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DUBLIN. VA., Feb. 7.—Sheep owners in this vicinity are losing a large number of lambs, and the severe weather doesn't seem to be altogether responsible for the loss, either, for in many cases, notwithstanding the best of care and shelter, one-third of the lambs have died.

The fondness of a gray cagle for lambs proved, his undoing on the farm of J. R. McGavock, near here. Mr. McGavock trapped and caught him, and his hired man, not knowing the value of a live cagle, killed him when found. He is a fine specimen, measuring seven feet from tip to tip, and has been the center of attraction in Dublin to-day, where he is being exhibited previously to being forwarded to The Times-Dispatch.

The young man, Weeks, who was so grievously wounded on the farm of H. G. Vaughan a few days since, is still alive with the built built in his brain, and

Kor no least litteen years, with each re-curring winter, "positively the last," wal-nut loss in this section have been shipped. This year proves no exception, there be-ing two car-loads new lying on the side-track awaiting shipment, and they, like their predecessors, are "positively the least"-till next year, any way.

BOTETOURT EXCITED.

Attempt to Criminally Assault

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Daughter of Prominent Man.

(Special to Tha Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., Feb. 7:—J. D. Crouch, an aned man, saxty years old, with a wife and lwo grown daughters, together with two mailer children, was locking sent to the Firematic Jailin Butcherich and the sent of the Firematic Jailin Butcherich and Jailin Butcherich Butcherich

SLEET IN NEW KENT.

The Trees Snap With Sounds Like Pickets Firing.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
OAK. VA. Feb. 7.—The worst sleet for years commenced here Sunday night. The rain continued throughout the night, which would freeze as fast as it fell. The trees were so heavily weighted down that they could not bear the weight of the lee, and commenced snapping like firing along a picket line. When the large trees would snap it would sound like cannonading. It has done considerable damage to the fruit trees and the timbered forest.

forest. Times are getting quite critical around Oak, as the merchants have to cross the river for their goods, and the river has been blocked solid with ice for some time, so they cannot get to the railroad for their supplies.

MURDER IN GOOCHLAND.

Body of John Parish, a Negro. Found on the Roadside.

Found on the Roadside.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LOUISA, VA., Feb. 7.—Hepers of a murder has Just reached here. It seems that on Thursday last, a negro named John Parish, who resides near Palmyra, in Fluvanna county, started over to Calidonia in Goochiand county, to get some whiskey, he had money and a watch on his person.

On his return home he stopped over with a colored family named Tyler, and that was the last heard of him util his body was found nurdered near the Tyler house yealerday morning.

He was supposed to have been murdered for his money and watch.

It is reported here that the Tyler family have been arrested, charged with the murder.

Burl Man

ESCAPED LUNATIC.

Negro Who Has Good Home and Farm of Unsound Mind.

FIFTEEN-YEAR SENTENCE.

Morton Hamlet, Colored, for the Murder of Joe Gary.

Cox-Norvell.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
COVESVILLE VA., Feb. 7.—A beautiful
wedding was solemnized at the home of
Mr. Emmet Norvell, near this place, Sunday evening at 2 o'clock, when Miss Carfle Norvell, daughter of Mr. D. W. Norvell, became the bride of Mr. R. L. Cox,

Panther at Shipyard.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Peb. 7.—The German cruiser Fanther, attached to the Carribean Squadron, arrived here to-day and went to the ship-yards for a seneral overhauling. She will be here for a month.

The cruisers Vineta and Gazello and the gunboat Falk, of the Carbean German flet, are expected to arrive during the spring for repairs.

Unexpected Result.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

C.C., King, representing the Chicago Portrait

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Company, were before Justice Hurt Tuesday,
charged with assaulting F. S. Eagles of Pittsylvania county. After hearing witnesses pro
and con, the warrants were dismissed; defendants paying the cost.

Eagles was fined a dellar for contempt of
court.

Carter-Stanley.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BOWLING GREEN, VA., Feb. 7.-Mrs.
EFZA. Temple Stanley and Mr., John
James Carter were married to-day at the
residence of Rev. James Long, the officlating minister.

Big Lumber Deal.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BRISTOL, TENN., Feb. 7.—A deal was closed with the Boston Iron and Timber Company here to-day by which the R. E. Wood Lumber Company, of Baltimore, gets possession of the Imber on a 0.700-ners tract in Carter county, East Tennessee. The consideration is \$35,000 was paid to-day. The purchasing company will manufacture the timber into lumber.

NEW LIST!

In addition to our already large list of merchants, who are receiving REBATE CHECKS, the following merchants have agreed to accept them:

Experience and the second seco	
Anderson Grocery Company. J. L. Blankenship & Bro. Harris Hardware Company E. I. Parrish Theo. Nelson Edw. W. Ball Albert E. Deuel Thompson's Drug Store W. T. Taylor William H. Lowery Noble & Stowe. Powell & Mitchell C. W. Glass Southern Fine Arts Company W. H. Snook. Jerry Morano Home Supply Company. A. S. Lubis	Confectioner
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shington Early	The People's Store	.1119, 1121, 1123, 1125 Hull St.
tott & Williams	Plumbers	.1023 Hull Street.
nahoster Model Bakery		.1018-1020 Hull Street.
T Duffron	Furniture	.1600-1602 Hull Street.
estall Prog	Shoes and Gents' Furnishings	.1106 Hull Street.
yers' Store	Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes	.1313 Hull Street.

We have sent into the homes 5,000 of our Directories, and we find that we will have to put out at

least 10,000 more. These will be ready as soon as the publishers can get them out for us. Spend your money with the merchant who will give you a discount for cash by accepting Rebate You have the opportunity to get the discount by using Rebate Checks. Are you going to let the oppor

unity slip by? No. Then when you buy \$2.00 worth of goods tender your merchant \$1.90 in cash and 10c in Rebate Checks, or if you buy a pound of coffee for 20c, give him 19c cash and a 1c coupon from your book. Do the same way when buying butter, cheese, eggs, meats, vegetables, dry goods, clothing, shoes, millinery, furniture, or, in fact, anything you need. THINK IT OVER.

A number of merchants have said to us we will accept your checks from any of our customers, but we will not make a contract with you NOW. Others have told us that they have accepted Rebate Checks and

The Rebate Check Co. of America, Room 411 American National Bank Building.

his breast.

When the physicians arrived the man was unconscious and very little hope is expressed for his recovery. In health is assigned as the possible cause of Royer's rash act. He has a wife but no chil-

Aylett's Frozen Up.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
AYLETTS, VA., Feb. 7.—Ice is of the thick on the Mattaponi Rive

Fairfax Electric Line. (Special to The Times-Disputch.)

FIVE NEW CHARTERS.

State Corporation Commission

Authorizes New Companies.

VIRGINIA BRIEFS.

LYNCHBURG, VA.—Rev.
ward, of Manchester, Va., is conducting a series of revival meetings in the chape of the Virginia Christian College, in this city, with much success. The services are only a week old, and there have been unwards of afticen conversions.
NORFOLK, VA.—Alex. Perry, fined \$2.50 and given sixty days in fail by Police Tistices Simmons, on the charge of running a poker joint over No. Sii Churching at poker joint over No. Sii Churching at was tried by Jury in the Corporation Court to-day and fined \$100 and cost.

COST.
STAUNTON, VA.—The West Augusta Guards last night, by a unanimous vote, elected First Lieutenant Hugh C. Braxton, of the Staunton Rifles, as their captain. Captain Braxton has had considerable experience, having seen service in Cuba during the Spanish War.

A LADY SHOT.

Severely Wounded by a Pistol Dropping From the Mantel.

Oropping From the Mantel.

(Special to The Times-Dispatel.)

(CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Fgh. 7.—
Mrs. Thomas J. Wills, wife of a prominent merchant of this city, was accidentally shot at her home two inorth of the city this atternoon. In Inking down a pistol from the mantel, she accidentally let the weapon fall. The discharged builet struck Mrs. Wills in the left arm just above the wrist inflicting a rather painful but comparatively slight wound.

Thomas Royer Shoots Himself in the Breast.

H. SWINEFORD & SON, General Agents,

Equitable Life Assurance Society of New York,

1110 Plast Main Street, Richmond, Va.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HARRISONBURG, VA., Feb. 7.—Thomas Royer, aged 45 years, and a farmer

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

WIDE-AWAKE LIFE ASSURANCE Solicitors and salesmen realize the great advantage of representing a company that needs no introduction—but rather introduces them; also an agency that is progressive and prosperous.

The Virginia Agency of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of New York offers liberal contracts to able personal writers and energetic ambitious young nien throughout Virginia, who wish to improve their financial condition. Address or call on

Authorizes New Companies.

The State Corporation Commission yesterday granted the following charters: Radford Hardware and Bupply Co. Inc., Radford, J. C. Teter, president, Radford, Va.; J. G. Osborne, secretary, Radford, Va.; J. G. Osborne, secretary, Radford, Va.; B. O. Pryor, treasurer, Radford, Va.; B. O. Pryor, treasurer, Radford, Va. B. O. Pryor, treasurer, Radford, Va. Capital stock, 25,000. Object: To buy and sell at whelesale and retail all kinds of merchandles.

Southern Mineral and Thuber Co., Inc., Bristol, J. A. Dickey, president, Bristol, Tenn.; C. Bynrs, vice-president, Bristol, Tenn., Capital stock, 25,000. Objects: To buy and sell minoral and timbe, lands.

Tidewater Compressed Air Cleaning Corporation, Norfolk, J. W. Perry, president, Norfolk, Va.; W. Lee Powell, vice-president, Norfolk, Va.; W. Lee Powell, vice-president, Norfolk, Va. Capital stock, \$15,000. Objects: To-do general cleaning of notels, households and other buildings, streamships and vessels of all kinds, etc.

The Southern Development Company, Dillwyn, W. R. Silvey, president, Cumberland, Va.; J. B. Hanes, secretary and treasurer, Anaconda, Va. Capital stock, \$15,000. Objects: To do a real estate business and conduct and publish a newspaper.

The Cumingham Literary Society, Farnylle, Lauy Anderson, president, Farmylle, Va.; Clair Woodruff, secretary, Farmylle, Va.; Oljects: Mental and literary cultivation and

VIRGINIA CARROLL DESPERATELY ILL

Well Known Bookmaker Said to be Dying in New Orleans.

Mr. H. C. Beattle, M. F. H., of Deep Run Hunt, a personal friend of James J. Carroll, who is dangerously ill, said last night that Jim Carroll was one of the squarest men he ever knew. His memory was extraordinary and his conversation "I never knew a better man," said Mr. Beattle, his word was as good as any wood and lumber is at the various landings, awaiting transportatin. A railroad from Richmond to Tappahannook, through this county, would make this section boom and be a great benefit to Richmond. All who have ice-houses have filled them. That is about all farmers have done since the 10th of December—get 10e and get wood. Beatte, his word was as good as any man's bond, and he was a friend to the to under all circumstances. He was ex-cellently educated, and, belonging as he did to one of Louislana's best families,

he had the right to go into any society he

he had the right to go into any sected, who chose.

"I purchased from him Blen by Bolus, Kasson, who was the first horse who ever beat the great Proctor Knott, Amulet and Virgo.

"Acter Mr. Carroll engaged in the bookmaking and race horse business, he became known as 'Virginia' Carroll on the tracks. He was educated at Randolph-Macon College and was one of the most popular students who ever matriculated at that celebrated seat of learning.

"All who know him loved and respected him, and his influence for good in the life he followed is well known." (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FAIRFAX, VA. Feb. 7.—The new electric line from Washington to Fairfax is largely patronized, despite the unpleasant weather. Quite a number from Fairfax go in every day, and frequent theatra parties are made up, returning about midnight.

Mr. H. L. Burrows, the company's agent at Fairfax, predicts a wonderful increase in business when spring opens.

The Good Roads Society are doing much to make good sidewalks to the depot, "

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Twenty-eighth and N Streets Pharmacy, Shine's Drug Store, Twenty-eighth and Broad Streets.
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